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**COPY**Declaration for Patent Application**COPY FOR CONTINUING APPLICATION**

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

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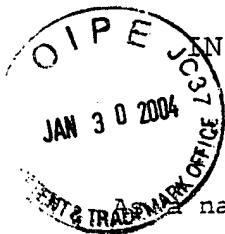
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